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Hence guilty joys, distastes, *surmises*,  
False oaths, false tears, deceits, disguises.  
No man ought to be charged with principles he actually disowns, unless his practices contradict his profession; not upon small *surmises*.

1. To rise above.  
The mountains of Olympus, Athos, and Atlas, over-reach and *surmount* all winds and clouds.

2. To conquer; to overcome.  
Though no resistance was made, the English had much ado to *surmount* the natural difficulties of the place the greatest part of one day.

He hardly escaped to the Persian court; from whence, if the love of his country had not *surmounted* its base ingratitude to him, he had many invitations to return at the head of the Persian fleet; but he rather chose a voluntary death.

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If then thee lift my offered grace to use,  
Take what thou please of all this *surplusage*;  
If thee lift not, leave have thou to refuse.

That you have vouchsaf'd my poor house to visit,  
It is a *surplus* of your grace.

When the price of corn falleth, men give over *surplus* tillage, and break no more ground.

We made a substance so disposed to fluidity, that by so small an agitation as only the *surplusage* of that which the ambient air is wont to have about the middle even of a Winter's day, above what it hath in the first part.

The officers spent all, so as there was no *surplusage* of treasure; and yet that all was not sufficient.

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Early abroad he did the world *survey*,  
As if he knew he had not long to stay.

With such alter'd looks  
All pale and speechless, he *survey'd* me round.  
SURVEY. n. f. [from the verb.] View; prospect.  
Her stars in all their vast *survey*

Useless besides!  
Under his proud *survey* the city lies,  
And like a mist beneath a hill doth rise.  
No longer letted of his prey,  
He leaps up at it with enrag'd desire.  
O'erlooks the neighbours with a wide *survey*,  
And nods at ev'ry house his threatening fire.

SURVEYOR. n. f. [from *survey*.]  
1. An overseer; one placed to superintend others.  
Were't not madnest then,  
To make the fox *surveyor* of the fold?

Bishop Fox was not only a grave counsellor for war or peace, but also a good *surveyor* of works.

2. A measurer of land.  
Should we *survey*  
The plot of situation, and the model;  
Question *surveyors*, know our own estate,  
How able such a work to undergo,  
To weigh against his opposite.

Decempeda was a measuring rod for taking the dimensions of buildings; from hence came decempedators, for a *surveyor*, used by Cicero.

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That turret's frame most admirable was,  
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1. To live after the death of another.  
Those that *survive*, let Rome reward with love.

Try pleasure,  
Which when no other enemy *survives*,  
Still conquers all the conquerors.

2. To live after any thing.  
Now that he is dead, his immortal fame *surviveth*, and flourisheth in the mouths of all people.

The love of horses which they had alive,  
And care of chariots after death *survive*.  
The rhapsodies, called the characteristics, would never have *survived* the first edition, if they had not discovered so strong a tincture of infidelity.

3. To remain alive.  
No longer now that golden age appears,  
When patriarch-wits *survived* a thousand years;  
Now length of fame, our second life, is lost,  
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